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Now the New York Times is gleefully quoted by the Democratic press as the leading Republican newspaper in the country.

The Allegan (Mich.) Journal floats from its masthead the following banner: "For President in 1880—ZACHARIAH CHANDLER." There may be a boom to this yet.

The Southern Democratic newspapers are booming against TILDEN, as we expected they would, because, as one of them explains, he has "lifted the Bloody Shirt." Verily, he has lifted it, and it in turn will lift the Democracy out of power.

There is a clamor among the sycophantic bar'rsuckers for TILDEN's appearance in Ohio. By all means let the old Cipher Ogre be put on the stump out there at once. The assurance of Republican victory in that State next week would then be doubly assured.

The assaults on the administration of affairs in New Orleans by Collector BAUMER and other Federal officials are now exclusively confined to the columns of the Democratic press. As they are mainly based upon a violent disregard of the eternal verities, that is the proper place for them.

It has been repeatedly announced in the Democratic Organ that Senator EDMUND, of Vermont, has returned, and unless we are incorrect in memory, the question has been asked why he does not go to Ohio and take part in the Republican campaign. We have the most positive assurances from his home in Vermont that he will not return from Europe earlier than the middle of next November.

We have been asked verbally and by letter why a notice of Senator CONKLING's speech at Brooklyn on Wednesday evening last did not appear in THE NATIONAL REPUBLICAN yesterday morning. We have but one reply to make: We were not provided with it by our news carriers—the New York Associated Press. This is under an established rule of the Associated Press, which is never violated, as we are assured.

One thing that assures the general belief in the reported denunciation of Southern political barbarism by Mr. TILDEN is the fact that the said denunciation is based upon a truthful conception of the Southern situation. It is, perhaps, a violent assumption to suppose that the old Cipher Ogre could venture to dally with the truth in these premises long enough to have reiterated it in the form of an interview; but it is not an absolute impossibility that he may have blundered into it.

The rough element is on top in the Louisiana Democracy. General OGDEN, the choice of the Conservatives, was beaten for the gubernatorial nomination by ex-Speaker WILTZ. This probably insures a bolt and possibly strengthens the Republican ticket, which is yet to be nominated, if the Republicans are wise in selecting good men for their nominees. The better classes in Louisiana, small in number as they probably are, have long been disgusted with the domination of the WILTZ gang of political cutthroats.

In considering the Indian question of Colorado it is well enough to bear in mind that less than two per cent. of the inhabitants of that State are Ute Indians. Then, again, it should be recollect that the Ute reservation contains over twenty per cent. of the whole area of Colorado, which is 18,320 square miles. The reservation contains a fraction less than 11,000,000 acres. There are 2,800 Utes, which gives to each buck, squaw and child a fraction less than 4,000 acres. This among an equal number of white people would be regarded as a very fair estate.

To the average novel reader who remembers what he reads, the pedestrian or athlete craze which prevails in this country just now will recall forcibly the character of GEOFFREY DELAMAYN in WILKIE COLLIERS' "Man and Wife." Sir PATRICK LUNDE, whose old-fashioned wisdom was effectively put in the forcible arguments advanced in that standard work of fiction against the development of the muscular to the neglect of the intellectual powers of the youth of our age, has many prototypes nowadays. But the trouble is, the bullet-headed GEORGE'S seem to be on the increase.

The CHALMERS' plan, as it is called, to rob the people of the Southern States of the right of voting directly for Presidential Electors, and vest that privilege in the State legislatures, has not dropped out of sight altogether, although its promoters are working secretly to secure its success. The time has not come yet for them to advocate it in public; but when the interested legislatures meet this fall and winter the boom will be started in earnest. The idea is to carry it into effect before the next Presidential election, so as to kill off Independence, and preserve the solidity of the Solid South for 1880.

As regards National questions the disintegration of the Solid South will prove to be a disappointment to those who imagine the present differences in the State politics of that section will have any lasting effect. In Georgia, for example, Independence has been rife for several years; but the State is thoroughly Bourbounized so far as

National affairs are concerned, and is represented in Congress by such misnamed Independents as ALEXIS STEPHENS and DR. FILTON. It is true that there is a possibility, under existing circumstances, of the election here and there, in some of the most erratic localities, of one or two Presidential Electors who might not be steadfastly true to such a Democratic nominee as TILDEN; but it is very remote. And to prevent the realization of this remote possibility the Democratic leaders now propose that these Electors shall be chosen by the State legislatures.

WHO IS RESPONSIBLE?

Somewhat the Alexandria Gazette does not take a square look at the facts connected with the Southern exodus. Its vision appears to be distorted and its language, we apprehend, is slightly clothed in prejudice. It criticizes Professor LANGSTON's address on the subject, and charges that he "attempted to destroy the whole industrial system of that section by depriving it of its chief element of labor supply." In referring to the leading Radicals of Washington who had seats upon the stand and applauded the sentiments of Professor LANGSTON, it says:

They not only use all the means at their disposal to prevent the introduction of capital and immigration into the South, but are now striving to deprive that unfortunate section of its labor, and reduce it to the condition of an impoverished wilderness.

ADMIRAL PORTER and Hon. George Bancroft, with their families, have left Newport for their homes in Washington.

Miss HARRIET and Miss Collier, of this city, were married at the Elgin House yesterday.

GENERAL FREDERICK M. HUTCHINSON, of New Brunswick, is at the Elgin House.

CAPT. W. J. W. JONES, U. S. N., wife and daughter are staying at Williams.

ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL TYNER is expected home Saturday night.

JUDGE W. BARKER, of Pennsylvania, registered at the Elgin House yesterday.

SIXTEEN ST., near Penna. ave., or at BRANCH STREET, PENNA. AV., W., you will find the new arrangement of the Clothing, together with Heavy Winter goods at same rates.

SECOND CLOTHING.

DISPENSERS OF LEFT-OVER CLOTHING, WALTERS, 161 NINTH ST., from original HERZOG'S, 30 NINTH ST., near Penna. ave., 1000 pieces of men's clothing, including the above, prompt attention will be given to all orders.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

SOUTHERN REPUBLICAN ASSOCIATION will hold their next regular meeting at REED'S HALL, 63 D street northwest, THIS EVENING, October 11. Members are requested to attend, and all southern Republicans.

A. M. HARVEY, Secretary.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—ESTATE OF JAMES COOKES CO., IN BANKRUPTCY.

EDWARD M. LEWIS, Trustee.

The Committee of Creditors of this Estate have decided to pay 50 cents on the dollar, and one-half per cent. to be paid on and after November 1, 1879. They have also declared an "Asset Tax" of \$1000 for the closing of the Estate, the certificates of which will be delivered to the holders of the amount of payment made up to date.

ROBISON CRUCE, Esq. Mc. White (original character)...Man Friday

The performance to commence with the School

BAKERS IN THE WOOD.

WEDNESDAY MATINEE, OCTOBER 15.

Every Evening for Balance of the week, and Saturday matinee.

Uncle Tom's Cabin Combination.

THEATRE COMIQUE.

ONE WEEK ONLY, COMMENCING MONDAY, OCTOBER 15.

ALVIN JOSLIN COMEDY COMPANY.

THE FUNNIEST Comedy ever written. Induced by the popularity of the "Alvin Joslin" Comedy.

The celebrated comedian, Charles L. Davis, the greatest old man character actor living. The only true representation of the Alvin Joslin Comedy.

The great original creation of Alvin Joslin, supported by the most brilliant company of actors.

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Twenty-two KOMKY papers declare for TILDEN and the KOMKY now.

GENERAL FREDERICK M. HUTCHINSON has been nominated for the legislature in Virginia.

THE MEMPHIS ANARCHISTS condemn Jeff Davis the traitor statesman in the United States.

THE BOURBONS have nothing to say about Mississippi.

MISSISSIPPI is a bold State.

"Why should the spirit of mortal be proud?" signed Dennis Kearny as he thundered the reject.

SENATOR DAWES is opposed to bolting. He says he serves the Republican cause best who serves it all the time.

THE three leading Democratic candidates for Congress in Philadelphia this year have been assessed \$5000.

THE Pennsylvania Republicans anticipate a sweeping victory, although the canvass is a very close one.

SENATOR LARAH made his speech in Mississippi last week, but he forgot to say anything about the "mane born," who presume to exercise

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